IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Attv Dkt: 249-255 In re Patent Application of AUG 2 3 2004 TC/A.U. 1642 HANAI at al Examiner: BLANCHARD, David Serial No. 10/089,500 Date: August 23, 2004 March 29, 2002 Filed: COMPLEMENTARY DETERMINING REGION-GRAFTED ANTIBODY AGAINST Title: GANGLIOSIDE GD3 AND DERIVATIVE OF ANTIBODY AGAINST GANGLIOSIDE GD3 Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: **RESPONSE** This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. **☐** Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment 0 minus highest number \$ 0.00 (at least 20) =\$ 18.00 20 Х previously paid for Independent claims after amendment . 0 minus highest number \$ 0.00 \$ 86.00 (at least 3) =0 previously paid for 3 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$290.00 (ignore improper) \$ 0.00 Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$420.00/2 months; \$950.00/3 months) \$ 110.00 \$ 0.00 Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$ 110.00 \$ First/second submission after Final Rejection pursuant to 37 CFR 1.129(a) (\$770.00) 0.00 Please enter the previously unentered . filed ☐ Submission attached Subtotal 110.00 -\$ 0.00 If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract ☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith \$ 0.00 Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee (\$180.00) \$ 0.00 Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00) 0.00 Other: **TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED** 110.00 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any <u>deficiency</u>, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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RESPONSE

Responsive to the Office Action dated July 9, 2004, the applicants elect the subject matter of the Examiner's Group I for further prosecution of the above. An early and favorable Action on the merits of the claimed invention is requested. The Examiner is requested to advise the undersigned if anything further is required in this regard.

Respectfully submitted,

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